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SUBJECT: UNITA ACKNOWLEDGES FALL OF HUAMBO

AT PRESS CONFERENCE HELD IN LUSAKA MID-AFTERNOON FEBRUARY 9,
UNITA EXTERNAL AFFAIRS SECRETARY SANGUMBA CONFIRMED FALL OF
HUAMBO TO SIX THOUSAND CUBANS WITH SEVENTY ARMORED VEHICLES
INCLUDING TANKS. SAID UNITA FORCES TOTALLING FIVE THOUSAND
HAD WITHDRAWN FROM HUAMBO AT 0430 HUAMBO TIME FEBRUARY 9 AND
HAVE TAKEN UP DEFENSIVE POSITIONS ACROSS MAIN ROADS TO SOUTH
AND EAST OF THE CITY. SANGUMBA ALSO ALLEGED THAT THERE HAS BEEN
"INDISCRIMINATE" KILLING OF CIVILIANS, INCLUDING WOMEN AND
CHILDREN, BY FORCES NOW OCCUPYING CITY.
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